

In re application of: Gary K. Michelson, M.D.

Serial No.: 08/480,908

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For: THREADED FRUSTO-CONICAL INTERBODY SPINAL IMPLANTS



Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith in the above-identified application are the following:

XXX A Supplemental Amendment to the Office Action.

_____ A Drawing Amendment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.123.

_____ Applicant requests an appropriate extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 to take the action required in the above-captioned application. Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$.00 for the -month extension.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

(Col. 1)		(Col. 2)		(Col. 3)
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
TOTAL	• 146	MINUS	** 142	= 4
INDEP.	• 6	MINUS	*** 5	= 1
____ FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM				

SMALL ENTITY		<u>OR</u>	OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
RATE	ADD'L FEE		RATE	ADD'L FEE
x 11 =	\$ 0	<u>OR</u>	x 22 =	\$ 88
x 41 =	\$ 0	<u>OR</u>	x 82 =	\$ 82
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+ 135 =	\$ 0	<u>OR</u>	+ 270 =	\$ 0
ADDITIONAL FEE TOTAL	\$ 0	<u>OR</u>	TOTAL	\$ 170

* If the entry in Col. 1 is less than the entry in Col. 2, write "0" in Col. 3.
** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, write "20" in this space.
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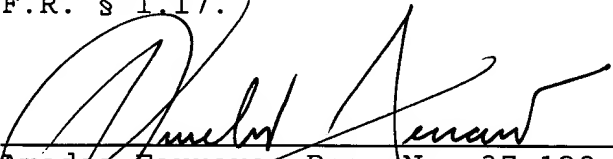
Any filing fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.

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Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17.

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